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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, AND AUDITORS

OF THE

TOWN OF HENNIKER,

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Miscellaneous Bills.

Paid :

Mary Chase, time at pest-house,	\$9.00
Timothy Peasley, order-book and expense of auditors,	2.25
J. H. Fellows, aid for dependent soldier,	16.00
George L. Flint, damage to wagon,	2.00
L. F. Presby, time at pest-house,	4.00
F. E. Colby, check-list,	.90
N. W. Beane, doctoring dependent soldier,	25.00
J. F. Garland, watering-trough,	2.00
G. E. Barnes, " "	2.00
" " sheep killed by dogs,	4.00
E. G. Hemphill, milk furnished dependent soldier,	7.80
H. A. Rice, lumber for bridge,	6.65
E. C. Eastman, collector's book,	2.50
J. H. Fellows, aid dependent soldier,	16.00
Republican Press Association, printing town report,	50.40
Betsey Bell, support,	12.00
N. W. Beane, attendance dependent soldier,	17.90
J. M. Pearson, lodging tramps,	4.00
G. A. Eastman, aid for dependent soldier,	4.00
E. G. Hemphill, milk " "	1.90
D. S. N. P. Cate, breaking road,	5.40
J. P. Gibson, goods for dependent soldier,	28.23
A. D. Goodwin, breaking road,	3.30
J. H. Fellows, aid dependent soldier,	20.00
W. O. Flanders, breaking road and repairing bridge,	9.15
" " sheep killed by dogs,	6.00
A. R. Flanders, breaking roads, 1888-'89,	9.50
J. F. Baker, " "	4.80
J. H. Fellows, aid to dependent soldier,	14.00

George Livingston, snowing bridge, and water,	\$4.00
B. F. Clark, breaking road,	5.40
W. H. Beard, " "	3.88
J. M. Kimball, expense Memorial Day,	67.00
Betsey Bell, aid,	12.00
Frank Goss, balance on oxen,	47.50
F. N. Webster, breaking road,	2.25
J. F. Dow, labor on highway,	3.00
F. T. Huntington, breaking road,	7.35
J. W. Chase " "	2.85
J. H. Matthews, " "	7.50
C. S. Ray, " "	11.10
H. W. Peasley, " "	26.00
J. Hadlock, road-machine edges,	17.00
J. W. Emery, supervisor,	4.00
D. E. Huntington, " "	4.00
H. Carter, " "	4.00
Walter T. Sargent, school-money,	2,004.93
P. E. Carter, labor on highway,	9.90
J. H. Fellows, aid dependent soldier,	15.50
Walter Felch, labor on highway,	40.00
G. W. Sargent, bridge plank,	107.69
Frank Goss, labor on highway,	12.00
J. H. Clark, breaking road,	3.90
G. W. S. Dow, cash advanced for land damage,	100.00
J. H. Fellows, aid to dependent soldier,	13.28
Betsey Bell, support,	15.00
J. P. Dow, labor on highway,	6.00
Wesley Felch, " "	4.64
David Chase, damage to horse and wagon,	65.00
N. Sawyer, boarding team and help,	3.00
J. C. Kilburn, breaking road,	3.90
N. P. Buxton, " "	6.79
P. P. Patch, labor on highway,	87.10
C. D. Robertson, breaking road,	9.30
J. H. Fellows, aid dependent soldier,	78.83
J. P. Gibson, goods " "	52.00
F. A. Peasley, cash advanced for county tax,	84.75
Horace Childs, interest on note,	30.00

Betsey Bell, support,	\$15.00
S. W. Carter, note and interest,	54.50
G. W. S. Dow, land damage,	175.00
R. S. Howe, cutting bushes cemetery,	8.00
S. E. Dowlin, labor on road and boarding help,	13.50
K. Whitcomb, breaking road,	2.32
E. N. Cogswell, repair water-course,	6.50
J. P. Gibson, goods furnished dependent soldier,	4.40
H. W. Gordon, labor on highway,	.75
E. H. Center, support of watering-trough for 1888-'89,	4.00
C. H. Sisco, cutting bushes,	5.25
N. W. Beane, medical attendance Jennie Gambell,	6.50
H. W. Tucker, sheep killed by dogs,	4.00
G. Towns, house-rent for Mrs. Carey,	10.00
Walter T. Sargent, high school,	175.00
E. A. Weeks, support watering-trough,	2.00
H. R. Rice, sheep killed by dogs,	10.00
J. M. Colby, " "	20.00
James Fellows, labor on highway,	18.05
A. W. Sumner, " "	40.50
John Gutterson, watering-trough,	3.00
Daniel Putney, aid M. W. Garland,	5.25
Paul Hussey, breaking road.	13.30
C. D. Robertson, sheep killed by dogs,	14.75
H. A. Emerson, interest on note,	124.20
J. A. Newton, over-taxation,	3.80
M. D. Perry, breaking road,	11.70
" labor on highway,	23.20
C. D. Robertson, " "	28.84
G. E. Halliday, " "	10.00
G. W. Rice & Son, sheep killed,	9.00
Timothy Peasley, time and expense in road case,	4.05
" paid printing bill and postage,	3.90
Horace Straw, over-taxation,	1.20
C. B. Childs, town library,	200.00
G. W. S. Dow, snowing bridge,	4.00
" sawing and delivering wood at town-house,	1.25
A. W. Sumner, watering-trough,	2.00
B. F. Clark, over-taxation,	2.85

O. H. Noyes, note and interest,	\$441.35
Mrs. Carnes, land damage and expense of commissioners,	180.41
H. A. Emerson, note and interest,	308.05
Humphrey, Dodge & Co., iron for rails,	7.11
Walworth Manufacturing Co., pipe for rails,	64.76
Betsey Bell, support,	20.00
S. A. Bunnell, putting up rails,	12.20
G. W. S. Dow, labor on watering-trough at village,	19.69
H. A. Emerson, part of note,	1,000.00
W. S. Foster, for stone and labor on railing,	11.80
F. H. Scribner, medicine for dependent soldiers,	3.65
N. L. Buxton, repairs for town-house,	6.00
C. H. McAlpine, lodging tramps,	7.50
T. Peasley, wood for town-house,	5.87
J. A. George, horse killed by order of selectmen,	35.00
G. A. Woods, for services as treasurer,	25.00
" labor on highway,	2.50
" goods furnished Susan Hoyt,	12.53
County Treasurer, county tax,	1,400.00
State Treasurer, state tax,	1,925.00
L. W. Peabody, recording births and deaths,	3.50
G. D. Barnes, care of Jennie Gambell,	10.00
O. H. Noyes, goods furnished Susan Hoyt,	24.00
" spikes and supplies for the town,	10.09
G. W. S. Dow, car-fare for J. Gambell,	3.65
" freight bill,	2.73
" time and expense upon bridge and railing,	27.45
W. O. Folsom, taking deposition,	1.00
" surveying road, &c.,	8.00
W. W. Shillen & Son, blacksmithing,	20.93
Betsey Bell, support,	12.00
G. W. S. Dow, cash and goods furnished Frank Dow,	5.00
J. H. Albin, advice in 1888,	10.00
" " 1889,	68.00
Preston Brothers, goods furnished dependent soldiers,	47.68
H. Morrill, breaking road,	2.40
J. B. Brown, "	4.16
T. Peasley, board and labor on highway,	5.87

I. F. Conner, labor on highway,	\$1.00
L. W. Peabody, medical attendance on paupers,	12.35
N. W. Beane, recording births and deaths,	2.25
C. C. French, labor on highway and board team,	11.53
G. H. Sanborn, services in pauper case,	3.00
" record births and deaths and medical attendance,	10.50
G. H. Sanborn, as health officer,	10.00
C. F. Stevens, labor on highway and bridge,	5.50
Balch & Woods, 28 trips with hearse,	70.00
N. W. Beane, medical attendance on Frank Dow's wife,	36.00
W. A. Balch, board of supervisors' horses in 1888,	9.75
Preston Brothers, goods furnished paupers,	25.53
" " " town supplies,	17.67
D. S. Carr, abatements of taxes,	41.68
" for non-resident highway receipts,	26.94
" copying and collecting taxes,	88.40
T. Peasley, order-book, time and expense to Concord,	5.15
W. T. Sargent, freight expense for school supplies,	4.84
" books for scholars,	17.23
" services as member of school board,	49.00
" " town-clerk, recording inven- tory births and deaths,	41.20
G. H. Dodge, services as school board,	42.50
W. H. M. Cate, " " "	35.00
Mrs. James Twiss, care of Frank Dow's family,	26.10
Wm. D. Harwood, labor on highway,	22.00
Hiram Rice, board town team,	10.00
J. W. Emery, check-list,	1.20
G. A. Eastman, wood furnished Frank Dow,	9.15
H. R. Patterson, labor on highway,	3.00
A. P. Wiggin, support of watering-trough, 1888-'89,	4.00
E. N. Cogswell, " " 1889,	2.00
G. W. S. Dow, snow-roller,	27.14
F. Martin, support of watering-trough,	2.00
A. W. Sumner, pasturing oxen,	10.00
" labor and cash advanced on highway,	11.82
W. T. Sargent, cash advanced for recording births and deaths,	.75

G. N. Goodwin, support of watering-trough,	\$1.00
W. T. Sargent, agent for safe,	125.00
A. W. Sumner, ox work on road,	3.75
Wm. F. Flanders, sheep killed by dogs,	3.50
J. Hadlock, castings for road-machine,	1.10
T. Peasley, expense to Concord,	5.10
C. H. & F. H. Courser, building road,	13.50
H. A. Emerson, for auditors,	6.00
G. H. Dodge, repairs on school-houses,	75.00
T. Peasley, services as selectman,	98.00
“ time and cash advanced pauper cases,	23.00
G. W. S. Dow, services as selectman,	90.00
A. W. Sumner, “ “	92.00

\$12,689.67

Highways.

Total amount paid out for highways and bridges, accounted for in miscellaneous bills,	\$532.43
Total amount paid for breaking roads, accounted for in same,	141.56
Total amount for town officers, accounted for in same,	564.40

County Paupers.

Total amount paid for county paupers, accounted for in same,	\$195.89
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County Dependent Soldiers.

Total amount paid for dependent soldiers, accounted for in same,	\$189.63
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Town Paupers.

Mrs. James Carey,	\$10.00
J. F. Dow,	99.13
W. M. Garland,	11.25
	\$120.38

Town Dependent Soldiers.

Sylvester Woodward,	\$84.63
Charles C. Hill,	106.43

Abatements for 1889.

Henry A. Fellows, for 1888,	\$.92
George Clark, " paid in Massachusetts,	.92
" for 1889, " "	.95
Frank P. Flanders, for 1888, " Hillsborough,	.92
" " for 1889, " "	.95
Charles Eaton, " Bradford,	.95
G. H. Farrar, " Danbury,	.95
Chas. A. Annis, " Warner,	.95
William Brown, " "	.95
Chas. E. Cogswell, " Pittsfield,	.95
John H. Rice, " Manchester,	.95
E. J. Morrison,	.95
Frank Halliday,	.95
William Freeman,	.95
Sumner C. Davis,	.95
Frank Marsh, paid in Massachusetts,	.95
Herbert A. Patterson,	.95
Charles Roberts,	.59
W. M. Garland,	.95
D. K. Marshall,	.95
David Chase, over age,	.95
George H. Davis, dog,	1.00
Frances Putney estate,	3.80
Elisha Rice,	3 43
B. F. Clark, over tax,	2.85
George E. Barnes, dog,	1.00
Abby F. Favor,	2.85
John F. Dow,	3.84
Thomas Brownrigg, over tax,	1.00
Alfred B. Goodwin,	1.95
	41.58

Statement of Condition of the Town, March 1, 1890.

To amount of outstanding notes,	\$3,750.00
To interest on notes,	90.00
Total,	\$3,840.00
Balance in treasury,	\$194.22
Due from collector,	25.22
By bridge plank,	63.00
Due from state,	28.00
	\$310.44
Balance against the town,	\$3,529.56

TIMOTHY PEASLEY,
G. W. S. DOW,
A. W. SUMNER,

Selectmen of Henniker.

Henniker, Feb. 26, 1890.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

H. A. EMERSON,
C. B. CHILDS,
J. C. COGSWELL,

Town Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

GEORGE A. WOODS, JR., *in account with the* TOWN OF HENNIKER :

DR.

To cash from treasurer of 1888,	\$211.13
cash from collector of 1888,	59.47
selectmen on notes,	2,255.00
selectmen, for oxen sold,	349.00
state treasurer, railroad tax,	169.66
“ savings-bank tax,	2,882.57
“ literary fund,	157.43
Merrimack county, on county paupers,	385.82
rent of town-house,	30.50
G. W. S. Dow, for bridge plank,	5.88
Geo. Goodwin, road money,	5.00
D. S. Carr, 1889, tax,	6,360.95
“ interest on taxes,	11.48
	\$12,883.89

CR.

By cash paid on orders of selectmen,	\$12,689.67
to balance,	194.22
	\$12,883.89

GEORGE A. WOODS, JR., *in account with Assessments on Dogs :*

To cash from treasurer, 1888,	\$142.25
collector, 1889,	123.00
	\$265.25

CR.

By cash paid George E. Barnes,	\$4.00
W. O. Flanders,	6.00
H. W. Tucker,	4.00
Harris R. Rice,	10.00
J. M. Colby,	20.00
Charles D. Robinson,	14.75
George W. Rice & Son,	9.00
Wm. F. Flanders,	3.50
to balance,	194.00
	\$265.25

Henniker, Feb. 26, 1890.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the treasurer, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

H. A. EMERSON,

C. B. CHILDS,

J. C. COGSWELL,

Town Auditors.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

A little more than two centuries and a half ago the poet Milton said that "A complete and generous education fits a man to perform justly, skilfully, and magnanimously all the offices, both public and private, of peace and war." If we devote a little thought to this statement, we shall find that no better definition of the purpose of education has since been written. If our pupils are not forming correct habits of thought, speech, and action; if they are not becoming better fitted, mentally, morally, and physically, for the various duties of life; and if they are not learning to be more just, skilful, and magnanimous,—then there must be defects in our system of education.

Compared with this standard, how are the schools of Henniker progressing? In an endeavor to answer this question, we cannot speak with mathematical exactness, but must mention general results.

We believe that considerable progress has been made in the right direction during the past year. Our teachers have been as faithful as those of former years, and, so far as literary qualifications are concerned, will rank far above many heretofore employed. Pupils generally have been well disposed, and we are glad to see that the inclinations of a majority are more just, peaceful, and magnanimous than were the inclinations of a multitude of pupils twenty-five years ago. We are sorry, however, that a few rude boys, lacking courage to engage in open rebellion, have tried, in various contemptible ways, to cause trouble for their teachers, and to impair the value of the schools which they have attended. Such conduct is detestable and unwarranted, and the boys themselves are the greatest losers thereby, for they can take no surer course to forfeit the respect and confidence of all sensible people. Boys and girls should be taught at home, as well as at school, the importance

of good manners. Teachers and school boards are not able to control actions and influences outside the school-room, and consequently are not responsible for all defects that are found. The course that too many parents take in permitting their children to do as they please in all things, at home and abroad, is a great stumbling-block in the way of good order and proper discipline. If a child is encouraged or permitted to speak ill of his teacher, to stay out of school whenever he pleases, and to be disobedient when he does attend, he will be far more liable to have little or no respect for the law of the land when he reaches the age of manhood.

We are pleased to believe that a great many parents and guardians have desired to coöperate with our teachers and with the school board, and have tried to do much toward making our schools successful. Many have assisted and encouraged by their visits to the school-room. We wish that all parents would follow their example. No sensible person would send a young child to the paper-mill or to the shoe-factory for the purpose of reporting the process of manufacture, the efficiency of the superintendents, or the probable gain or loss to the company; but too many people trust completely to the reports of young children for their information relative to the value and success of schools. No greater mistake can well be made. Children are very apt to misjudge unwittingly a teacher's acts, and to distort the meaning of her words, while a few, we fear, do so intentionally. Parents, visit the schools and learn for yourselves.

The old evil, irregularity of attendance, still exists, and casts its blighting, withering influence over our schools. La grippe can justly be held responsible for many black marks in the school registers, but much of the blame must be borne elsewhere. The State Superintendent of Public Instruction, in one of his annual reports, speaks of this great, and, in a multitude of instances, inexcusable evil, as follows:

"In every town there are parents, who, either too ignorant to appreciate or too selfish to regard the interests of society or the welfare of their children, will, for the paltry value of a child's labor, or to gratify its love of play, become the conscious or unconscious agents in disturbing the discipline, breaking down the classification, and destroying the usefulness of schools

by causing or allowing their children to be continually irregular in their attendance. The waste of school funds and the loss of intellectual and moral power to the community from this source are incalculable, for the good and the bad suffer alike from this unconscious criminality. As things are, it is impossible for teachers or school boards to remove the evil. The difficulty is one that has its seat in the moral condition of the community, and can only be eradicated by reformation at its source."

Too much skimming over books, without mastering their principles, has sometimes been allowed in many of our schools. Many pupils, frequently encouraged by mistaken or over-indulgent parents, have been intensely anxious to pass rapidly from one book to another, without understanding the contents of any. Such action is only a waste of time, for a mere smattering of the various branches does but little good. Thoroughness should be the motto of every school, although faithful teachers, adopting this rule, are often unjustly condemned. To illustrate: A boy may be working problems in interest without being able to repeat the multiplication table. If required to learn that, a great hue and cry is raised because the poor child is kept back in his studies. Such action on the part of parents and friends is injudicious, and calculated to injure the schools. It is to be hoped that all concerned will also recollect that the school laws of the state now in force do not require teachers to supply dull, backward pupils with brains.

A revolution in the method of teaching the use of the English language appears to be needed. Should a teacher compel her pupils to learn all the rules of arithmetic without putting any of them into practice, she would be considered very unwise; but similar methods prevail largely in the study of language. Pupils are compelled to memorize the rules of grammar without understanding their meaning, and consequently derive little or no benefit therefrom. Less memorizing of dry rules, and more practice in speaking and writing good English, should be our motto. Too many of our pupils leave school without being able to write a decent letter. Some teachers fail sadly in this particular. This matter demands serious attention. The power of speaking and writing correctly is of far greater importance than skill in working out useless arithmetical puzzles, or the

ability to repeat glibly minor and unimportant portions of the modern geographical encyclopedias now published for the use of schools.

In order to accomplish this and other reforms, we need the best teachers that can possibly be secured. If they cannot be found in Henniker, then we must look for them elsewhere. Teaching is rapidly being recognized as a profession, and no person not qualified by nature and education should try to enter its ranks. It has well been said that "The power of teaching a little depends upon the power of knowing a great deal." The day of young, poorly educated teachers is swiftly passing away, while the demand for competent, well trained teachers is steadily increasing. Every teacher desiring to continue in the work should subscribe for one or more educational journals. Other trades and professions patronize the periodicals that are published in their interests, and no teacher who has any love or regard for her calling can afford to lose the help and inspiration to be derived from reading one or more of the excellent educational publications.

We welcome the new free text-book law as an important step in the right direction. Under its wise provisions we believe that our schools will become more successful. In the course of time the expense to the town for each pupil must be considerably less than it has been heretofore, although until the system is fairly inaugurated there will be probably no perceptible decrease. The law would be a great advantage, however, were there to be no saving financially, for schools supplied with needed text-books at the very beginning of each term will be enabled to make good use of much precious time formerly wasted by reason of enforced idleness and imperfect classification, the value of which cannot be estimated in dollars and cents.

We believe that our common schools, as a whole, are equal to those of any adjoining town, and in some instances superior. When we criticize, we do so hoping that those who are at fault will strive to change their course, and that those who are interested in the cause of education will try to aid teachers and school boards in every attempt to bring the schools of Henniker nearer perfection. Let us not be satisfied until our schools

shall have attained to the highest degree of excellence within our reach, so that when our young people go out into the world they may be able to perform justly, skilfully, and magnanimously the duties of any honorable position to which they may be called.

THE SCHOOL AT THE ACADEMY.

In accordance with a vote of the town passed at the last annual meeting, your school board made arrangements for two terms of school in which the higher branches should be taught. The trustees of Henniker academy cheerfully tendered the use of that building, and it was deemed wise to accept their kind offer. The school-room is pleasantly situated, and well adapted to school purposes.

After considering several applications from teachers, that of Aubrey B. Call, A. B., a graduate of Bates college, class of '89, appeared most favorable, and Mr. Call was unanimously chosen principal. He is a faithful teacher, a good disciplinarian, and has given excellent satisfaction.

The fall term commenced September 9, 1889, continued twelve weeks, and was attended by nineteen pupils. The second term, now in session, commenced February 11, and is attended by thirty-one pupils. This increase in attendance rendered the services of an assistant teacher highly desirable. Mrs. A. B. Call has been engaged to perform the duties of that position, and the results thus far are very gratifying.

Everything considered, the school has prospered in a pleasing manner, exceeding our expectations.

Could funds sufficient for three terms be secured, our district schools might be relieved more easily of classes scarcely belonging in them, and poorly accommodated at the best, yet interfering greatly with the advancement of younger pupils.

The success of the school, the increase in attendance, the interest manifested by our citizens, and the heroic efforts made by many pupils to attend, indicate most emphatically that a school of this kind is needed, and that it should be continued.

WALTER T. SARGENT,
GEO. H. DODGE,
W. H. M. CATE,

School Board of Henniker.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The School Board in account with Henniker School District
for the year ending March 1, 1890 :

	DR.	
Cash from last year's account,	\$100.47	
Received from town treasurer,	2,004.93	
school board of Warner, tuition,	9.45	
Total receipts,	—	\$2,114.85
Paid as follows :	CR.	
Teachers' salaries,	\$1,818.50	
Wood,	107.82	
Care of houses,	55.25	
Cleaning houses,	17.75	
Supplementary reading,	14.20	
Erasers,	7.00	
Chairs,	3.75	
Books for teachers' desks,	3.30	
N. L. Buxton, school supplies,	6.82	
Preston Bros., “	6.27	
W. T. Sargent, “	3.35	
Order books,	1.00	
Total expenditures,	—	\$2,045.01
Cash on hand,		\$69.84

Finances of the school at the Academy :

	DR.	
Cash received from tuitions, fall term,	\$81.75	
town treasurer,	175.00	
Total receipts,	—	\$256.75
Paid as follows :	CR.	
Printing posters.	\$2.25	
Wood,	17.25	
Harry E. Bunnell, janitor fall term,	6.00	
A. B. Call, teacher fall term,	216.00	
Total expenditures,	—	\$241.50
Cash on hand,		\$15.25

The money now on hand, together with that to be received from tuitions and that due from the town, will meet the expenses of the term now in session.

HENNIKER, February 26, 1890.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the school board for the year ending March 1, 1890, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

H. A. EMERSON,
C. B. CHILDS,
Town Auditing Committee.

Geo. H. Dodge, as Committee on Repairs, submits the following report :

	DR.	
To cash from account of last year,	\$14.69	
town treasurer,	75.00	
23 pounds lead and 4½ pounds oil,	1.88	
	\$91.57	
	CR.	
By labor on school-houses,	\$21.60	
cash paid J. O. Straw for labor,	13.75	
A. E. Merrill for labor,	13.75	
for nails, glass, window-cords and paint,	2.10	
J. Gutterson for saddle-boards for Div. 12,	.56	
W. C. Flanders for 4,018 shingles,	8.05	
A. J. & A. W. Parker for lead and nails furnished, and for labor on house in Div. 12,	9.12	
Sarah Clark for storing old shingles,	.50	
N. L. Buxton for damper,	.35	
G. A. Eastman for repairs,	.25	
A. J. Parker for lead furnished and work, Div. 1,	1.65	
Preston Bros. for paints, oil, and hardware,	28.56	
L. S. Connor for repairs in Div. 6,	1.50	
J. C. Cogswell for mortar,	.50	
Wilber Blaisdell for repairs in Div. 7,	.50	
O. H. Noyes for glass and putty,	.50	
Cash on hand,	1.58	
	\$91.57	

Henniker, March 1, 1890.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of the Committee on Repairs for the year ending March 1, 1890, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

DANA E. HUNTINGTON,
C. B. CHILDS,
D. S. CARR,
District Auditing Committee.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Names of pupils who have been neither absent nor tardy during the entire school year :

Fred T. Connor.	Dora L. Whitney.
Walter M. Connor.	Lona D. Morse.
Alice B. Connor.	Eugene W. Ripley.
Mary L. Clark.	Hugh M. Sanborn.
Murrie A. Currier.	Annie E. Gage.

Names of pupils who have been neither absent nor tardy during two terms :

Lula F. Sawyer.	Cora A. Peasley.
Roscoe W. Sawyer.	Perley E. Brady.
Annie M. Rice.	Emily F. Childs.
Edgar N. Stearns.	Maud E. Preston.
Joseph L. Clark.	Harry W. Balch.
Alice C. Farley.	Etta M. Colby.
Bennie A. Clark.	Georgia M. Sanborn.
Florence S. Patterson.	Waldo W. Skillen.
Frank E. Gregg.	Silas G. Gage.
Lillian M. Ripley.	

Names of pupils who have been neither absent nor tardy during one term :

Annie M. Garland.

Gertie I. Garland.

Ethel L. Patch.

Fred C. Parker.

Lewis A. Parker.

W. E. Matthews.

Zenie A. Patch.

Walter J. Dow.

Elmer A. Dow.

Sadie A. Twiss.

Hiram E. Twiss.

Percy E. Patch.

Harry T. Garland.

Roscoe E. Colby.

Willie F. Carter.

Myron E. Presby.

Oscar J. Presby.

Ralph B. Spaulding.

Grace L. Clark.

Scott L. Clark.

Eda G. Patterson.

Maria M. Cate.

William Barnes.

Arthur E. Gregg.

Minnie B. Gregg.

Hattie M. Gregg.

Henry F. Thayer.

Eva M. Campbell.

Charles A. Preston.

Anna L. Childs.

Susie A. Andrews.

Abbie M. Eaton.

Martha J. Goodwin.

Bertha Peasley.

Agnes S. Goodwin.

Arthur M. Allen.

Blanche M. Dow.

Harry B. Preston.

Wayne M. Griffin.

Mary A. Carnes.

Alvah S. Bunnell.

Clarence P. Scoboria.

Lillian F. Hale.

Arthur R. Courser.

Mary Jane Gage.

Sarah A. Clark.

Frank S. Rogers.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Name of school.	No. of division.	No. of terms.	Name of teacher.	No. of pupils for the year.	Wages for the year.	Wages per month.	No. of weeks.	No. of pupils each term.	Average number.	Percentage of daily attendance.	Roll of honor. Term.	Roll of honor. Year.	Visits by committee.	Visits by citizens.
Parker.	1	3	Edna M. Constantine	18	\$162	\$24	8	17	17	.9412	9	2		4
			Edna M. Constantine			24	10	17	14	1.000	5	2		16
			Edna M. Constantine			24	9	10	8	.8750	3	0	2	0
Crary Hill.	2	1	Lizzie M. Hussey....	8	66	24	11	8	7	.7142	1	0	2	9
Bear Hill.	3	2	Anna J. Liscom.....	7	120	24	8	6	6	.8333	0	2		2
			Anna J. Liscom.....			24	12	5	5	.8000	0	0	3	9
Westboro' Corner.	4	3	Flora E. Clough.....	30	180	24	8	17	17	.9411	7	2		9
			Isabel C. Wingate...			24	10	15	13	1.000	4	4		8
			Georgie L. Barnard..			32	9	22	19	.9473	2	0	3	15
West Hen- niker.	5	3	Carrie L. Barker....	24	216	32	8	19	17	.9411	2	2		10
			Carrie A. Whitcomb			32	10	17	13	.9230	1	4		23
			Carrie A. Whitcomb			32	9	14	13	.8461	2	0	2	11
Hemlock Corner.	6	3	Mittie F. Clark.....	12	166	24	8	9	9	1.000	7	2		13
			Mittie F. Clark.....			24	10	10	9	1.000	6	2		11
			Jennie E. Shattuck..			26	9	12	11	1.000	6	4	2	2
Fellows's Corner.	7	3	Carrie A. Whitcomb	11	144	24	8	9	9	1.000	5	2		16
			Alice E. Steer.....			24	10	9	8	.8888	4	3		19
			Alice E. Steer.....			24	6	11	10	.9000	4	1	1	0
South Vil- lage.	8	3	Genorie E. Trow....	29	224	32	8	24	23	.9130	4	5		22
			Jessie Marshall.....			32	11	22	20	.9000	5	5		36
			Jessie Marshall.....			32	9	25	20	.9000	4	1	3	27
Friends.	10	3	Bessie H. Prince....	14	162	24	8	11	10	1.000	4	2		24
			Bessie H. Prince....			24	10	13	8	.8888	2	2		6
			Bessie H. Prince....			24	9	13	13	.8461	3	1	2	6
North Vil- lage.	11	3	Clara C. Gutterson..	32	216	32	8	31	30	.9333	16	5		85
			Clara C. Gutterson..			32	10	31	29	.9310	10	4		61
			Sarah B. Gutterson..			32	9	26	23	.8260	4	2	2	45
Eastman.	12	3	Sarah B. Gutterson..	10	162	24	8	8	8	.8750	3	2		3
			Sarah B. Gutterson..			24	10	9	9	1.000	2	2		6
			Jennie A. Eastman..			24	9	9	8	1.000	2	1	1	4

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF HENNIKER FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

On the 28th day of September, 1888, Miss Mary Washburn, of Pine Farm, of Newton, Mass., having in charge several boys of that institution placed in different families in Henniker, expressed a desire, in a letter addressed to Mrs. E. Maria Cogswell, that a reading club be formed in Henniker, not only for these children, but for all others interested, and offered, if suitable encouragement were given, to furnish some books, papers, and magazines, provided the people of Henniker would furnish a portion likewise. Mrs. Cogswell immediately became interested in the matter, and through her influence, and her persistent and persevering efforts, a club was formed numbering 163 members, their ages varying from four years to ninety-two, each one paying the small sum of ten cents for the year, each member's name being placed on the record book, by reason of which, and other gifts of money, and the net receipts of a levee held for that purpose, books, papers, and magazines were added to this collection.

On January 25th, 1889, a meeting was held at Mrs. Cogswell's, which was opened with prayer. An organization was effected under the title of Henniker Free Library Association, and officers were chosen. Very soon after, a valuable donation of books was received from H. B. Kirk, of New York city, and donations of current magazines from Mrs. S. C. Loring, of Boston, Mrs. Belle C. Green, of Nashua, and books and magazines from fourteen residents of the town. The Association, desiring to make this a permanent organization, had an article placed in the town warrant to see what action the town would take in regard to a library. The town, at its annual meeting in March, 1889, voted to establish a public library, and appropriated \$200

therefor, and elected five trustees to take charge of the same. The officers of Henniker Free Library Association, after due consultation with the members thereof, held a meeting at the house of Mrs. Cogswell, and voted unanimously to turn over to the town library, through its officers, all the reading matter belonging to the Association, together with its funds then on hand, and its own good-will.

The trustees having received the property of the Association, engaged a room in Mr. Emerson's block, and Mrs. Cogswell as librarian, and removed the books from Mrs. Cogswell's to that room, she having acted as librarian up to this time, exchanging books every day in the week and at all hours of the day or evening. The trustees voted to have the library open for exchanging books every Saturday, from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 9 o'clock P. M. The library was opened for distribution of books from this room on Saturday, May 11. A book-case used by the library formed several years ago, with a few books saved from said library, was placed in the room. A table was given by Dea. Horace Childs, and chairs by Mr. Emerson. In June the Reform Club presented a sum of money to the library. With that money, together with the money received from the Association, 34 volumes were purchased.

Donations of books have been received from Mrs. Olive Baker Bowman, Miss Edna Dean Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Howe, Mrs. Mary L. Whitney, Mrs. Sarah Brooks, Mrs. Annie Frances Pillsbury, Mr. Silas G. Gage, Mr. N. J. Bachelder, Mr. Frank A. Gordon, Mrs. Oliver Pillsbury, Mrs. Adaline S. Cook, Mr. John H. Rice, Mrs. J. M. Daly, Mrs. Ella Bardeen and family, Mrs. Charles Darling, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wadsworth, and, after the death of Mrs. A. F. Pillsbury, 50 volumes belonging to her library were presented by Mr. Gilbert Pillsbury, to all of whom a hearty vote of thanks has been extended.

From thirty-nine residents of the town books have been received, ranging in number from one volume to thirteen. From W. C. T. U. of Henniker, four volumes. Mrs. Vasta Abbot presented \$20 to be expended for books. The books were selected by Wm. O. Folsom. A check for \$50 has been placed in the hands of the librarian by Newell Webster, of Helena, Montana, to be expended at her own best judgment and

pleasure. Owing to the illness of the librarian, only a portion of this money has been expended.

It was a matter of regret to the trustees that it became necessary to call in the books for cataloguing during the long winter evenings, but the appropriation not being received till December, no other course could be taken. Two hundred and thirteen volumes have been purchased, and there are now on the shelves 584 volumes of bound books. Of these, 120 volumes are histories, 50 biographies, 65 travels, 49 miscellaneous, 10 poetry, 17 philosophy, science, and religion, 250 fiction, and 23 books of reference, and quite a collection of books in paper covers, and magazines.

The work of covering and cataloguing the books purchased has been done by the trustees, assisted by seven ladies, who kindly volunteered their services. The book-case was presented by Mr. John Guttererson; the paper for covering books and the use of the stove for heating the library-room, by Mr. H. A. Emerson. Many offices of kindness have been rendered by our generous townspeople, for which the trustees wish here to express their sincere thanks, as they have many times been agreeably surprised at the interest manifested, and the cordiality and earnestness with which they have offered assistance.

Believing as they do that the library as an educator is the best aid which can be given to our school system, and realizing the influence for good which it is capable of exerting over the whole community, the trustees most earnestly recommend it to your fostering care, and urge that a liberal appropriation be made for its support.

Respectfully submitted :

H. A. EMERSON,
JOHN GUTTERSON,
CURTIS B. CHILDS,
E. MARIA COGSWELL,
CHARLOTTE J. RICE,

Trustees.

HENNIKER FREE LIBRARY—TREASURER'S REPORT.

CURTIS B. CHILDS, Treasurer, charges himself with the following items :

1889.			
April	29.	Received of N. L. Buxton, Treasurer of Henniker Library Association,	\$22.07
		Received of Mrs. E. M. Cogswell, from Henniker Library Association,	2.33
May	29.	Received of Henniker Reform Club,	29.00
Aug.	3.	librarian, fines,	1.14
Dec.	4.	town treasurer, town's appropriation,	200.00
	12.	proceeds of entertainment at town hall,	38.93
1890.			
Feb.	18.	librarian, fines,	3.00
	24.	“	1.00
Total,			\$297.47

* And credits himself with the following items :

1889.			
April	29.	Paid A. W. Mitchell for stamps,	\$1.25
May	15.	W. O. Folsom, stationery,	.53
	18.	W. A. Howlett, Century Magazine,	3.60
	29.	Hillsborough Messenger, printing labels,	3.50
June	1.	H. A. Emerson, rent to date,	2.00
		record- and cash-books,	1.20
	22.	binding books,	3.60
July	4.	Estes & Lauriat, books,	32.21
	6.	N. L. Buxton, lamp,	4.52

Dec.	7.	H. A. Emerson, rent to Dec. 1,	\$12.00
		$\frac{1}{4}$ cord wood,	1.25
		stove pipe,	2.25
	17.	C. B. Childs, sundry furnishings for library-room,	1.96
	1890.		
Jan.	7.	freight on books,	.46
		Hunt & Greenwood, books,	180.57
Feb.	24.	E. Maria Cogswell, for services as librarian April 1, 1889, to March 1, 1890,	22.92
		H. A. Emerson, rent of room from Dec. 1, 1889, to March 1, 1890,	6.00
		Republican Press Association, print- ing catalogues,	15.66
		Cash on hand,	1.99
		Total,	\$297.47

Henniker, Feb. 26, 1890.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts, and find the same correct.

H. A. EMERSON,
J. C. COGSWELL,
Auditors.

FINAL REPORT OF HENNIKER ACADEMY SCHOOL BOARD.

1889.	DR.	
March 1. Cash on hand,	\$166.67	
May 24. Received from D. B. Pike, tuitions,	63.00	
	<u> </u>	\$229.67

1889.	CR.
May 24. Paid D. B. Pike, for term ending May 24,	\$229.67

Respectfully submitted,

H. A. EMERSON,
D. W. COGSWELL,
W. T. SARGENT,

Committee.

VITAL STATISTICS.

TO THE SELECTMEN OF HENNIKER: In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report," I hereby submit the following:

Births Registered in the Town of Henniker, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of birth.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or stillborn.						
January 5.....	.....	.....	Female	Stillborn	William H. Bean.....	Mary Emory.....	W	Mechanic.....	Wilnot.....	Orford.....
February 8.....	.....	Male	.....	Living	John A. Vander Heyden.....	Mary Jessie Millett.....	"	Wood-chopper.....	Quebec, P. Q.....	Kingsey, Canada.....
" 15.....	.....	"	.....	11th	Louis Daniels.....	Ageline Gariett.....	"	Laborer.....	Canada.....	Canada.....
" 17.....	.....	"	.....	3d	Franklin W. Hale.....	Emogene A. Stockbridge.....	"	Merchant.....	Henniker.....	Alton.....
March 4.....	Maud Rose.....	"	"	3d	Joseph H. LaBonta.....	Lillie D. Roberts.....	"	Farmer.....	Wellsboro. N. Y.....	Henniker.....
" 21.....	Gertie L.....	"	"	5th	Henry Clark.....	Julia F. Wood.....	"	Laborer.....	Moultonborough.....	Henniker.....
April 14.....	.....	"	"	2d	George J. Harvey.....	Annie G. Campbell.....	"	Shoemaker.....	Bow.....	Providence, R. I.....
" 21.....	.....	"	"	1st	Ater S. Drew.....	Hattie E. Davis.....	"	".....	Barrington.....	Washington.....
" 25.....	.....	"	"	5th	Wilbur T. Sawyer.....	Louisa A. Matthews.....	"	Machinist.....	Porter, Me.....	Henniker.....
June 10.....	Roy Harrison.....	"	"	1st	Charles E. Eaton.....	Ellen G. Bennett.....	"	Mechanic.....	Bridford.....	Boscawen.....
" 23.....	.....	"	"	1st	Henry A. Skilton.....	Annie E. Smith.....	"	Blacksmith.....	Hopkinton.....	Hillsborough.....
July 4.....	.....	"	"	2d	Howard W. Peasley.....	Belle B. Morrison.....	"	Farmer.....	Ware.....	Henniker.....
" 9.....	.....	"	"	5th	Charles D. Robertson.....	Hattie M. Harlitt.....	"	".....	Warner.....	Warner.....
" 28.....	.....	"	"	3d	John W. Connon.....	Alice J. Taylor.....	"	".....	Henniker.....	La Moille, Ill.....
August 26.....	George E.....	"	"	3d	Edgar H. Tuttle.....	Evelyn F. Dodge.....	"	".....	Stoddard.....	Perkinsville, Vt.....
September 25.....	.....	"	"	4th	Willard H. Griffin.....	Jennie Greenwood.....	"	Shoe manufacturer.....	South Groveland, Mass.....	West Boxford, Mass.....
October 15.....	.....	"	"	1st	Cyrus F. W. Snell.....	Corra M. Emerson.....	"	Laborer.....	Henniker.....	Northwood.....
November 25.....	Boyd Sanborn.....	"	"	5th	Charles O. Cames.....	Angie A. Page.....	"	Carpenter.....	Henniker.....	Henniker.....
.....	.....	"	"	4th	Noah F. Murdo.....	Almira E. Colby.....	"	Farmer.....	Hillsborough.....	Warner.....

Marriages Registered in the Town of Henniker, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age in years.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriages.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 1	Hillsborough	Sidney J. Dowlin.....	Henniker.....	37	W.	Farmer.....	Warner.....	James H. Dowlin..... Betsy J. Smith.....	Bradford..... Langdon.....	Farmer..... Housewife.....	2d	Rev. Noble Fisk, Hillsborough.
		Diantha Collins.....	Hillsborough.....	43	"	Housewife.....	Hillsborough.....	Stanley Abbott..... Diana Burr.....	Greenfield..... Warner.....	Stone-cutter..... Housewife.....	"	"
Mar. 10	Henniker	Henry H. Whitcomb.....	Warner.....	48	"	Farmer.....	Warner.....	Lurt Whitcomb..... Mary D. Connor.....	Henniker..... Henniker.....	Farmer..... Housewife.....	1st	" J. W. Bean, Henniker.
		Fannie M. Goss.....	Henniker.....	38	"	Housewife.....	Henniker.....	Worcester Goss..... Jane W. Wilson.....	" Hopkinton.....	Farmer..... Housewife.....	"	"
Mar. 23	"	Charles H. Brown.....	"	35	"	Stone-cutter.....	Hopkinton.....	Jonathan Brown..... Mary Dunbar.....	Croydon..... Bow.....	Farmer..... Housewife.....	2d	" Fred L. Allen, Henniker.
		Carrie J. Chase.....	"	20	"	Housewife.....	Epsom.....	Sylvester Quimby..... Georgia A. Bickford.....	Epsom..... Boston, Mass.....	Farmer..... Painter.....	"	"
Mar. 24	"	William F. Fruean.....	"	24	"	Painter.....	Williamsburg, Mass.....	George H. Fruean..... Clara Cranson.....	Buckland, Mass..... Deering.....	Housewife..... Farmer.....	1st	" F. L. Allen, Henniker.
		Lura B. Otis.....	Deering.....	16	"	Housewife.....	Deering.....	Edwin R. Otis..... Maria Kimball.....	Deering..... Manchester.....	Housewife..... Carpenter.....	"	"
April 8	"	Warren C. Flanders.....	Henniker.....	24	"	Carpenter.....	Henniker.....	Edjah P. Flanders..... Caroline A. Morse.....	Ware..... Henniker.....	Housewife..... Housewife.....	"	" J. L. Scoboria, Henniker.
		Eva L. Presby.....	"	20	"	Housewife.....	Bradford.....	Henry F. Presby..... Lizzie Colby.....	New Boston..... Bradford.....	Housewife..... Housewife.....	"	"
May 22	"	Edward Dow.....	"	22	"	Shoemaker.....	Henniker.....	Jackson P. Dow..... Hannah J. Hoyt.....	Henniker..... Hooksett.....	Farmer..... Paper-maker.....	"	" J. L. Scoboria, Henniker.
		Izettia M. Cate.....	"	17	"	Housewife.....	"	Daniel S. N. P. Cate..... Nellie E. Ashworth.....	Hooksett..... Webster.....	Housewife..... Miller.....	"	"
June 27	Hillsborough	Charles E. Courser.....	"	26	"	Shoemaker.....	"	Charles H. Courser..... Mary J. Blanchard.....	Webster..... Antrim.....	Housewife..... Carpenter.....	"	" D. W. Goodale Hillsborough.
		Emilie T. Pritchard.....	Hillsborough.....	20	"	Dressmaker.....	Hillsborough.....	William B. Pritchard..... Linda B. Templeton.....	" Magog, Canada.....	Housewife..... Shoemaker.....	"	"
June 29	Henniker	Cortus W. Magee.....	Henniker.....	28	"	R. R. employé.....	Waterloo, Canada.	John Magee..... Susan Whitehead.....	Bolton, P. E. Island.....	Housewife..... Farmer.....	"	" Fred L. Allen, Henniker.
		Emeline E. Smith.....	P. E. Island.....	29	"	.....	P. E. Island.....	James Smith..... Catherine McLoud.....	" P. E. Island.....	Housewife..... Housewife.....	"	"

Sept. 9	Henniker	Charles R. Hayes	Henniker	27	W	Mechanic	New London	George W. F. Hayes Cyrilla S. Sargent Thomas C. Chick Nancy J. Quimby John Grimes Sarah Murchough	New London	Farmer Housewife Carpenter Housewife Farmer Housewife	1st Housewife 2d Housewife 1st Housewife	Rev. Fred L. Allen, Henniker. Fred L. Allen, Henniker.
Oct. 4	"	Eva V. Everett	Manchester	33	"	Housewife	Cambridge, Mass.	George W. Colby Fidella Goodnow William D. Harwood Martha Vose Josiah Sargent Alectie Libby	Hillsborough	Farmer Housewife Housekeeper Farmer Housewife	1st Housewife Housewife Housewife Housewife	" Fred L. Allen, Henniker.
Oct. 19	Warner	William D. Harwood	"	52	"	Farmer	Warner	William D. Harwood Martha Vose Josiah Sargent Alectie Libby	Warner	Farmer Housewife Housewife Housewife	4th Housewife Housewife Housewife	Albert E. Hall, Warner.
Dec. 25	Henniker	William W. Hurd	Zyronit, Mass	30	"	Physician	West Lebanon, Me.	Benjamin C. Hurd Elizabeth Weymouth John Gutterson S. Francis Stearns	Berwick, Me. Dunbarton	Farmer Housewife Carpenter Housewife	1st Housewife Housewife Housewife	Fred L. Allen, Henniker.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Henniker, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date.	Place of death.	Name and surname of the deceased.	Age.			Sex and condition.			Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
			Years.	Months.	Days.	Male.	Female.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 5.	Henniker.....	Freddie J. Corser.....	6	1	24	Male.	Female	W	.....	Willmot.....	Orford.....	William H. Bean..	Mary Emery.....
Jan. 17	"	Mary E. Folsom.....	84	9	18	"	"	"	Housewife..	Boscawen.....	Barnstead.....	Fitz H. Corser....	Abbie H. Jones.....
Feb. 3.	"	Abel D. L. F. Connor.....	64	9	26	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Hadley, Mass.	Henniker.....	Ervin H. C. tre....	Hannah Whitney.....
" 11.	"	Myra S. Emory.....	32	6	26	"	"	"	Housewife..	Hopkinton.....	Bennington.....	Almira J. Winn....	"
" 13.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Henniker.....	Alton.....	Franklin W. Hale..	Emogene A. Stock..
" 18.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Essex, Mass.	Essex, Mass.	Zebulon Foster....	Polly Story, (bridge.
" 25.	"	Jeremiah Foster.....	83	8	6	"	"	"	"	Henniker.....	Henniker.....	Paul Ray.....	Sophronia Connor...
Mar. 28	"	John C. Ray.....	64	2	19	"	"	"	"	"	Entrim.....	Daniel Rice.....	Jane S. Duncan.....
Apr. 10.	"	Elisha Rice.....	57	2	9	"	"	"	Blacksmith..	Andover, Mass.	Albany, Me.....	Philemon Chandler	Asenath Case.....
Apr. 30.	Hopkinton.....	William Chandler.....	77	1	4	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Warner.....	Penacook.....	Charles A. Annis...	Jenette Elliott.....
May 11.	Henniker.....	Frank Annis.....	18	10	13	"	"	"	Housewife..	Warner.....	Penacook.....	John Jameson.....	Mary R.....
June 20.	"	John W. Jameson.....	66	6	"	"	"	"	Housewife..	Essex, Mass.	Essex, Mass.	Abner Peaslee.....	Elizabeth Patch.....
" 23.	"	Almeda Gregg.....	68	11	21	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Essex, Mass.	Essex, Mass.	Nathaniel Cogswell	Eminec Low.....
" 28.	"	George W. Cogswell.....	89	5	4	"	"	"	Merchant.....	Essex, Mass.	Essex, Mass.	Abner Peaslee.....	"
Aug. 1.	"	Ebenezer Wynn.....	83	6	27	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Henniker.....	Henniker.....	Ebenezer Wynn.....	Mary Merrill.....
" 30.	"	Elizabeth A. Emerson.....	46	10	"	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Henniker.....	Henniker.....	Daniel Denison....	"
" 31.	"	John W. Connor.....	23	7	11	"	"	"	Housewife..	Henniker.....	Henniker.....	Alex W Connor....	Harriet N. Spofford..
Sept. 7.	"	Julia Wood.....	68	10	17	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Dracut, Mass.	Connecticut.....	John Massey.....	Sally Jones.....
" 17.	"	Ira Plummer.....	79	3	11	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Henniker.....	Henniker.....	Joseph Plummer....	Sarah Upham.....
" 25.	"	George M. Poor.....	46	9	"	"	"	"	Housewife..	Henniker.....	Henniker.....	Ira Poor.....	Sarah Upham.....
Oct. 9.	"	Laura W. Clark.....	63	6	24	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Hopkinton.....	Hopkinton.....	Jacob Gordon.....	Lydia Smith.....
" 16.	"	Moses Cheney.....	67	3	18	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Thornton.....	Senborneton.....	Moses Cheney.....	Abigail Morrison....
" 24.	"	Lovely Colby.....	75	10	16	"	"	"	Housewife..	Massachusetts	Hillsborough.....	James Carter.....	Wheeler.....
" 26.	"	Ebenezer Flanders.....	68	10	9	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Warner.....	Ware.....	James Flanders....	Mary Peaslee.....
Nov. 1.	"	Bashabee Noyes.....	88	7	3	"	"	"	Housewife..	Henniker.....	Henniker.....	James Sargeant....	Annie Emerson.....
Dec. 7.	"	Albert Gove.....	75	7	22	"	"	"	Farmer.....	Henniker.....	Henniker.....	James Gove.....	Ruth Campbell.....
" 26.	"	Worcester Goss.....	80	5	4	"	"	"	"	Lancaster, Mass	Hawke, Mass.....	Ephraim Goss.....	"

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. **WALTER T. SARGENT, Town Clerk.**

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